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Consumer Products Working Group  
Second Meeting Summary - October 17, 1995

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## Introduction

The Consumer Products Working Group (CPWG) held its second meeting on October 17, 1995, at the Sacramento Convention Center in Sacramento, California. Approximately 100 people attended. The following items were presented at the meeting:

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|  | 1. Status Reports   |  |
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|  | Antiperspirant/Deodorant September Hearing - Julie Billington,              |  |
|  | Air Resources Board (ARB)   |  |
|  | VOC Definition - Floyd Vergara, ARB   |  |
|  | Alternative Control Plan - Floyd Vergara, ARB                               |  |
|  | Aerosol Paints - Brett Furnas, ARB  |  |
|  | Special Recognition Labeling for Aerosol Paints - Brett Furnas, ARB         |  |
|  | Reactivity Subgroup Meeting - Floyd Vergara, ARB                            |  |
|  | Mid-term Measures Subgroup & Ad Hoc Categories Committee Meetings -         |  |
|  | Paul Milkey, ARB  |  |
|  | Long-term Measures - Sue Kaiser, ARB  |  |
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|  | 2. Update on Department of Pesticide Regulation Activities--Pesticide VOC   |  |
|  | Plan - Mark Pepple, Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR)                |  |
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|  | 3. Overview of Authority to Regulate Consumer Products - Bob Jenne, ARB     |  |
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|  | 4. Update on State Implementation Plan (SIP) Progress - Cynthia Marvin, ARB |  |
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## Summary

This meeting was intended to provide an overview of ongoing activities. Topics of discussion are presented below.

In response to a question about the SIP deadlines for emission reductions from commercial pesticides, DPR staff explained that the reductions would be phased in, with the full 20 percent reduction due by 2005. DPR will monitor the emissions trend line, and adopt interim regulations if necessary.

There was concern about which agency (ARB, DPR, districts) has authority to regulate the various product subcategories. The ARB staff explained that development of the mid-term measures will rely on the most credible, current information, with adjustments made to the inventory as necessary. ARB legal counsel stated that it is not necessary to change the definition of consumer product in the Health and Safety Code to clarify ARB versus district jurisdiction.

There was some confusion as to whether the U.S. EPA had approved the long-term measures in the California SIP. ARB staff

clarified that the long-term measures had been approved. (See the attached Federal Register notices.)

Regarding plans to revisit the SIP, the ARB staff explained that the impacts of newly exempt compounds and revisions to the mobile source model will be evaluated next year. Once the inventory analysis is completed and the mid-term strategies are adopted, the ARB staff will evaluate progress in reducing emissions to determine if any changes are needed to the SIP. Any SIP review will be comprehensive, addressing all elements concurrently.

#### Future Meetings

The next meeting of the CPWG is tentatively scheduled for April 16, 1996.

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